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NITRIDE CRYSTAL, GROUP III NITRIDE

CRYSTAL GROWN THEREBY, GROUP III

NITRIDE CRYSTAL GROWING

APPARATUS AND SEMICONDUCTOR

DEVICE

CLAIM FOR PRIORITY

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Dear Sir:

Applicant hereby claims priority under 35 U.S.C. 119 based on the following prior foreign applications filed in the following foreign countries on the dates indicated:

Country	Application No.	Date
Japan	2003-019716	January 29, 2003
Japan	2003-071302	March 17, 2003
Japan	2003-081836	March 25, 2003
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In support of this claim, a certified copy of each said original foreign application will be filed shortly.

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